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EPITHELIAL SODIUM CHANNEL ASSOCIATED DISORDERS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 5,2006, Applicant submits the following.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a five-month extension of the period for responding to the Restriction Requirement, thereby moving the deadline for response from November 5, 2006 to April 5, 2007.